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Overalls *That Will Give You Real Wear* **\$1.95**

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Special Cut Price This Week

25 Pairs Men's Work Shoes, Sizes 6 to 11, solid leather, with or without toe cap, for..... \$3.85

To Clean Up This Week

ODD WORK SHIRTS—If your size is here take them away. Values up to \$3, to clear at... \$1.25

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Fresh Fruits *When you need Fruit think of ROBERTS Always a full variety. Place your order. You will get the best.*

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B. M. ROBERTS

THE MAN WHO DOES THINGS

W. I. Picnic Date Wednesday August 12

Do not forget the W. I. picnic to be held at the Bar U. picnic grounds, next Wednesday afternoon. An attractive program of races for young and old has been arranged. A silver collection will be taken to defray the picnic expense. Free ice cream cones and lemonade for all the kiddies. We want every kiddie in the community to come and have a real good time. A regular old-fashioned picnic lunch at six o'clock, so come with a full

lunch basket. Any person who can take their car please do so and all wishing to go, meet at the church at one-thirty. Wednesday afternoon August 12. Don't forget, come and have a good time and see that there isn't one kiddie in this community left out.

Classes—Filmed at West Point with the entire academy participating in the thrill of a lifetime. Champion Theatre August the 7-8.

Harry Smith, who has spent the summer at Brooks, returned to Champion recently.

Examination Results For Champion

Following are the successful candidates from Champion Consolidated S. D. at the recent examinations.
Grade X—Edna McNaughton
Augusta McNaughton (History)
Grade X—Bernard Johnson (Con.)
Laura Schroeder (Con.)
Grade IX—Ethel McDougall, Leola Johnson, Andrew Anderson, Esthea Schroeder, Elmer Cole and Jean Akler.
Grade IX—Supplements—Sarah Fleming, Frank Reid, Florence Ulrich and Harold Stephenson.

With 2,300,441 inhabitants, Buenos Aires is now the sixth in the world's cities as regards population.

Treat 'Em Ruf!

That's the Trade Mark of our work garments for men. We don't have to guarantee these goods as never a kick is registered against this brand.

GLOVES

Yes, gloves is our second name, from 25c a pair up, and say men we can give you genuine Peccary Hog at **\$1.50 per pair.**

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Bring those feet of yours to this store, we stock only the fine Pliable Leather kind.

Open in future all day Wednesday.



CAMPBELL'S

"Where They All Go."
GROCERIES.
MEN'S WEAR.

Wheat Harvest Progressing Rapidly

With the binders in the wheat the general impression seems to be that the yield both in quality and quantity will be better than was anticipated. The terrific heat on Saturday and Sunday forced many fields which were quite green and ripening followed rapidly. The high wind on Sunday night is credited with doing considerable damage to grain which was ripe, both by shelling and by knocking the grain down. Harvesting will be general by the end of this week or the first of next week.

Takes Prizes At Carmangay

E. Williamson won first prize for horse fitted for range work at Carmangay fair. Nina Williamson was first for ladies' saddle horse on Ikey Boy. Harold Williamson was first in free for all run. Howard Kavanagh was badly hurt while riding a Williamson horse in running race, his horse being struck from behind by horse ridden by Roy Fleming. Howard is improving, although unconscious for half an hour after the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson spent the week end at Waterton Lakes.

Mrs. Edd, of Calgary, is visiting friends in town and country.

Miss Lawrence, of Innisfail, is the guest of Mrs. J. T. Stephenson.

In France, less than 15 per cent of the inhabitants earn more than \$50 a year.

F. Trevelthick, a well known resident here prior to 1918, was a visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cool, of Calgary, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Cool over the week end.

Mrs. Teckey and children, of Carmangay, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. Sisson, returned home on Saturday.

Walter Diemert, a resident of Los Angeles for the past two years, returned here on Wednesday morning and will remain for the harvest.

Last—Monday morning, in or near Champion pass containing cheque and small bills. Finder return to Chronicle office or to Mrs. T. Sisson.

Classmates—The dream of every boy—the pride of every girl—that's what Bartholmes is as the heroic West Point Cadet. Champion Theatre August the 7-8.

Harvesters & Threshers

WILL FIND
EVERYTHING IN

HARDWARE!

LINES AT THIS STORE

Our assortment of tools is very complete and our line of harvest accessories is complete in every detail. Last, but not by any means least, our prices are as low as is consistent with quality goods. We certainly can interest you in our harvest supplies.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE

New Chevrolet?

Worth your while if you intend buying a medium priced car.

MOFAFTT'S HARDWARE

Agents for the May Tag Washer
Dodge Bros. Cars.
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Mr. Farmer : Mr. Thresherman

Fresh Meats, Smoked Meats or Lard

You will find down to Rock Bottom Prices during your Harvest Time.

Every Hook in Our Store Filled With a Harvest-Time Bargain!

Champion's

Champion Meat Market

Richard Bartholmes as the fighting hero of "Classmates" a story of West Point for every boy—every girl—every man or woman—the great military academy is background for all of the wonderful story. Champion Theatre August the 7-8.

Berlin barbers have been considering increasing charges for hair cutting by 25 per cent, but it is reported they have decided against the increase because of the fear that skull-shaving would become more popular.

Monday & Tuesday "The Ten Commandments" Monday & Tuesday August 10-11

"THE BIGGEST PICTURE OF ALL TIMES"

From the Splendors and Orgies of the Pharaohs to the Humor and Tragedy of this Jazz-Mad Age. No Greater Sermon Ever Preached from Screen than "TEN COMMANDMENTS." Our Modern World defined God as a "religious complex" and laughed at the Ten Commandments as Old Fashioned. Then, through the Laughter, came the shattering thunder of the World War. And now a blood-drenched, bitter world—no longer laughing—cries for a way out. There is but one way out. It existed before it was engraved upon Tablets of Stone. It will exist when stone has crumbled. The Ten Commandments are not rules to obey as a special favor to God. They are fundamental principles without which mankind cannot live together. They are not laws—they are the LAW.

Special Music.

Screening at 5.30.

Admission 25-50-75c.

RETAILERS WOULD TAX MAIL ORDER BUSINESS IN WEST

Vancouver—Brokers' condemning the stamp tax on cheque and receipts, protesting against the extra charge made by some manufacturers and wholesalers for boxes and cartage; recommending a tax on mail order business which would be distributed among municipalities concerned, and amending the constitution, were passed by the convention of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada held here.

Spirited discussions took place on the question of income tax and on the egg grading regulations.

The question of the income tax was brought up by the Quebec delegation, who pleaded for the association to take a stand against the tax. It was, however, referred to the Dominion board, which will take action after a survey of the wishes of the provincial boards and institutions.

Alberta delegates proposed a resolution to request the government to allow country dealers to buy and sell ungraded eggs under the regulation that they would grade all eggs for sale. The special committee which had been appointed to deal with this resolution recommended against it. After discussion, the matter was referred back to the committee and will be brought up again.

Rifemen Prepare To Attack Holy City

Leader of Rebellion Getting Ready to Play Last Card

Pez. French Morocco—Abd-el-Krim, directing the plans of the rebellion, is getting ready, according to latest indications, to play his last card in the struggle of the holy city of Mecca, about 400 miles northwest of his objective, Fez. The French commander, however, is doing everything possible to deal with the expected drive, speeding reinforcements to vital points, posting heavy artillery around Ouzren, constructing squadrons of tanks and armored cars in centres from which they can be dispatched rapidly wherever they are needed.

Prolonged French artillery fire and bombing aeroplanes have kept the enemy from striking at the post of Boukha, but the situation there is difficult owing to the fatigue of the garrison and in insufficient water supply.

May Develop Zinc Industry

U. S. Syndicate Trying to Discover Main Deposit Near Sudbury

Toronto—Prospects are bright for the development of a great new industry in northern Ontario, if the efforts of a big United States syndicate to locate the main zinc deposit believed to exist in the Sudbury nickel district are successful, according to information secured at the mines department. Discovery of hitherto unsuspected deposits of zinc of good quality in the Sudbury nickel district, close to a group of prospectors who were pursuing the hunt for coal in northern Ontario.

Prepares For Prince's Visit

Honours Affairs—The estate has voted an appropriation of 40,000 pesos (about \$160,000) to entertain the Prince of Wales during his coming visit to Argentina. British consuls in Argentina are preparing numerous festivities in honor of the Prince. His picture is making its appearance everywhere.

"Buy in Canada" Movement

Montreal. Unofficial support for a "buy in Canada" movement will be extended from coast to coast, was voiced at a representative meeting of bankers, brokers, bond dealers and transportation companies. Agriculturists and other producers and consumers will be approached to lend their aid.

First Divorce in Far North

Edmonton—Miss Honor Judge Irvine, acting as stipendiary magistrate for the Northwest Territories, who returned to the city July 28 from Fort Smith, has granted the first divorce ever given in the Far North.

Spy Gets Twelve Years

Cologne—Historic Strips—formerly employed by the Krupp and charged with selling plans of big guns to foreign powers during the war, has been sentenced to prison for twelve years.

In a thunderstorm at Almaty, Spain, recently, lightning struck an altar in a church without damaging it.

Welcome Mount Logan Climbers

Conquerors of Canada's Highest Peak Return to Vancouver

Vancouver—Brought by the glare of the two peaks of Mount Logan and lean and greyhounds from the hardships of their successful scaling of Canada's most formidable peak, Captain A. H. McCarthy, of Wilbur, B.C., leader of the expedition, Lieut.-Col. W. F. Foster, D.S.O., of Vancouver, H. E. Lamb, of Ottawa, and Henry Hall, Jr., of Boston, returned to Vancouver by boat from Victoria. They received from their friends and admirers a memorable welcome.

Except for Mr. Lamb, none of the mountaineers displays any physical evidences of hardships. Mr. Lamb, owing to the frost-bitten feet, arrived with his feet still encased in moccasins. He is still under treatment.

Col. Foster, the local member of the expedition, declared "there is nothing more to be said about our trip than has been written already."

Declares Wheat Pool Success

Could Not Expect More For First Year

Regina—The Saskatchewan Wheat Pool met with all the success it could reasonably expect for its first year of operation, stated Hon. Maurice W. Doherty, M.L.A., for East Kent, Ontario, former minister of agriculture in the Doherty government who assisted in the organization of the pool here two years ago and who was in town for the big rally of the Saskatchewan Wheat Producers Association at the Stadium in the exhibition grounds. "The salvation of agriculture," declared Mr. Doherty, "depends on the success of the pool, the former Ontario minister said that the people of the east were reaping in the reports coming through to the effect that the success of the crops now was practically assured."

Refunding Of Loans

Government Must Finance to Extent of \$165,000,000 This Year

Ottawa—Hon. James A. Robb, acting minister of finance, who recently returned from a holiday, is turning his attention to the financing of loans maturing during the latter part of the year. Financing to the extent of \$165,000,000 will be necessary this year. As announced some days ago, the first maturity obligation, amounting to five million pounds sterling, on August 12, will be met with cash. On the 12th of the following month, treasury notes to the amount of \$9,000,000 mature. The first war loan of \$10,000,000 will fall due on December 1. The amount is \$42,052,000. Mr. Robb has gone to Toronto, and it is understood he will discuss the question of refunding some of these loans with financial bodies.

More Farmers For Alberta

One Hundred Young Britishers Coming Over This Fall

Edmonton, Alberta—A survey, counsel for the overseas settlement board, and himself a member of the board, passed through Edmonton on his way to the coast and thence to Australia, and between trains, Hon. Geo. Howland talked over with him the chances for further British immigration to Alberta this year. There will be 100 more young Britishers coming over this fall, said Mr. Howland, and applications are now being received at the board's office in London.

Four Vacancies to Fill

Ottawa—The resignation of Hon. J. B. Macdonald, as member of Saint John, N.B., vacated four seats in the House of Commons. The resignation of Hon. J. B. Macdonald, as member of Saint John, N.B., vacated four seats in the House of Commons. The resignation of Hon. J. B. Macdonald, as member of Saint John, N.B., vacated four seats in the House of Commons.

Rebuild Minkisi Inn

Winnipeg—Minkisi Inn, one of the Canadian National Railway's summer hotels, which was destroyed by fire last month, will be rebuilt on the bungalow style, similar to Jasper Park Lodge. Announcement of this effect was made following a conference of system officials with Sir Henry Thornton, who states that plans will be developed immediately for the reconstruction of the new inn.

Federal Election Speculation

No Announcement Is Expected For Some Days Yet

Ottawa—It is now stated here on good authority that there will be no more meetings of cabinet until after the New Brunswick election on August 16. In that case it is improbable that there will be any announcement in regard to the holding of an election this autumn for a couple of weeks. It has been taken for granted that the government will await the New Brunswick result before deciding whether or not to go to the country this autumn. If it should prove favorable to the government now in power, it will be a factor in determining the federal premier to make his appeal. If it should be unfavorable, it will be an added argument for those who are counselling delay. For the present, apparently the question of holding an election before the snow flies must remain unchanged.

BRITISH NAVAL PROGRAM HAS PASSED HOUSE

More Binder-Twining Will Be Necessary For Heavy Strain

London—The House of Commons has passed its approval of the government's cruiser building programme after the Liberal and Labour parties had sought to have the appropriations for new warships reduced, on the ground that there was no naval war in sight, and therefore there was no need to burden the already heavily taxed country to additional expenditure of \$15,000,000.

Ramsay MacDonald, former Liberal premier, moved a reduction of the shipbuilding vote, but the house rejected his proposal by a vote of 278 to 140.

There was a great deal of talk about a potential trouble in the Pacific, but the speaker, Mr. MacDonald, said that the shipbuilding vote, but the house rejected his proposal by a vote of 278 to 140.

The chancellor, in his official statement respecting the new cruiser building programme, said there was only one menace—that the fleet was wearing out.

Mr. Churchill took occasion to repeat one of his most persistent remarks, that, Britain having immovably indicated her whole historic position by agreeing to have a navy of the same size of that of another country, intended to maintain her sea forces far in excess of those of any country in the world.

Several speakers with no government portfolios inclined to the view that the government had much to say about possible trouble between the United States and Japan, and also about the tendency of the French to increase their submarine strength.

May Teach Evolution

Atlanta, Ga.—An amendment designed to prohibit the teaching of evolution in the common schools of Georgia was voted down yesterday in the State House of Representatives.

Japanese Alpinists Climb at Jasper

Includes Lift and motion picture camera and a complete dark room with which pictures will be developed in the field.

Three Swiss guides, Edmund Fieber, Hans Kohler and Jean Weber, from Jasper Park Lodge, are accompanying the party and five guides and four horses from the outfit of stables of Fred Brewster, are being used on the trip. This is the largest party which has, in the lodge this year, and the first party of Japanese Alpinists to tackle some of the untried fields of the Canadian Rockies.

The party is shown ready to start from the Brewster ranch. Left to right—N. Oake, M. Hatanaka, Y. Mita, S. Koshino, Y. Maki, Fred Brewster, outfitter. H. Fieber, Weber, H. Kohler, Swiss guides.

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PROPOSAL TO TAX RAILWAYS ON A MILEAGE BASIS

Winnipeg—Suggesting that the Manitoba Government consider adoption of a policy of taxing railways on a mileage basis instead of gross earnings, Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, Major G. M. Bell, deputy minister of railways, and M. O'Rourke, member of the Canadian National board, conferred with Premier Bracken here.

Premier Bracken believes the proposals are inequitable, on the ground that Manitoba, with small mileage and big business, would suffer at the expense of provinces where mileage is great and business small. The railway officials, it was stated, plan to submit the proposal to other provincial governments on their trip west, after conferring with Premier Bracken on their return journey.

Cost More To Harvest Crop

More Binder-Twining Will Be Necessary For Heavy Strain

Winnipeg—It will cost Canadian farmers four months more to harvest their crops this year as compared with normal seasons. The difference will be accounted for by the proportionately smaller crops. The application of the twenty million acres of wheat as well as ten million of oats and three million acres of barley, rye and flax, will be held out to 60,000 harvesters and binder twine manufacturers but the difference in freight rates over their crops this year as compared with normal seasons. The difference will be accounted for by the proportionately smaller crops.

Official and unofficial estimates of total yield from half a billion of wheat to three hundred and fifty million bushels of wheat, and a parallel must be reckoned with, but the general harvest is almost in sight. Those who must buy grain are inclined to over-estimate the situation and the producer and his organizations invariably take the pessimistic view. This is the history of the grain industry and is not confined to western Canada.

Press Delegates Have

Left For Australia

Old Country Party Will Return

Through Sixty Days

More than 50 delegates from Canada and Great Britain to the Imperial Press Conference in Melbourne, September 29 and 30, embarked here on the liner Aorangi for Australia, July 28. The Old Country party, headed by Vincent and Viscountess Herbert, plans to return through the Sioux Canal, thus completing a voyage around the world. It will be nearly Christmas when the majority of the party reach England. The sailing date from Fremantle is November 2.

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Earl Haig Sails For England

Mission to Canada Took Him Through Good Part of Dominion

Montreal—Field Marshal Earl Haig and General Haig sailed for England from here July 21 aboard the Leiffia. A guard of honor and a military band accompanied the distinguished visitor to the house of Sir Henry Thornton, where they stayed during their visit in Montreal. The Leiffia, which carried hundreds of soldiers, took their respect to the great soldier, whose mission to Canada, that of examining the various exercises men's organizations into one body took him through a good part of the Dominion.

Invents New War Weapon

Detroit Man Will Give Demonstration On U. S. Battleship

San Francisco, Calif.—Demonstrating a destructive force which he has invented will be carried out on a United States battleship off the coast of California, Dr. Edwin R. Scott, of Detroit, has announced.

Dr. Scott, who is said to have sold the French Government the "killer" artillery during the war, now calls his new machine the "death stroke." He claims it will kill him if it comes in contact with a radius of 20 miles. The naval demonstration will take place within two weeks, the Detroit inventor said.

Not Coming To States

Duke of York Is Not Expected Next Year

London—It is understood that while the Duke of York, younger brother of the Prince of Wales, has accepted the honorary presidency of the World Forum of Freedom at York, he is not expected to go to York next year as New York dispatches have stated he would. Recently it was announced in New York that the World Forum expected the Duke to visit York next year. The purpose of the forum is to increase and perpetuate the nations' friendship, while the British commander, Lord Cornwallis, surrendered the British to the American independence in October, 1781.

Unusual Number of Canadians Are Going Around This Year

Ottawa—Canadians are traveling abroad this summer to a greater extent than in any previous year. The chronic seasonal unemployment which now exists in certain parts of south America, industrial developments in western Canada is not only very profitable, but utterly desirable. If for other reasons than to make his holidays more enjoyable, the year, 1918, he said.

Increase In Passport Issues

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Treaty Relating

To China Will

Now Be Ratified

Washington—Arrangements are being made at the department of state for the formal exchange of ratifications of the nine-power treaty relating to China, which was signed at the time of the Washington arms conference.

Notification has been received that the necessary documents from Berlin showing the French action in ratifying the treaty would reach Washington in the next few days. France was the last of the nine powers to ratify.

The treaty is fast providing for a commission to revise Chinese customs, to provide the Chinese Central Government with a five per cent. ad valorem duty on imports. The assembling of this commission is looked to as the first essential step in stabilization of conditions in China, in order to insure adequate protection of foreigners.

New Grain Act

Revised Act With New Regulations Has Now Gone Into Operation

Ottawa—The Canada Grain Act as revised at the last session of parliament became effective August 1.

The order in council authorizing the application of the new regulations has been passed and the official proclamation has been issued in The Canada Gazette this week.

The new Grain Act was one of the most important measures before parliament last session and a special committee gave several weeks to its consideration. The amendments to the old act were chiefly respecting the operation of elevators, the weighing and grading of grain. All terminal elevators under the present act can be put under the control of a commission if the government so orders, though such action is regarded as unlikely.

Annual Golden Rule Dinner

Paris—Edmond Herriot, former French premier, has accepted the invitation of the Near East Relief to its annual golden rule dinner in New York, Sept. 29, according to an announcement made by the organization.

Herriot has been closely connected with the organization's work for several years and for two years has been chairman of the French clearance of Golden Rule Society.

SAYS TOLERANCE IS THE NEED OF CANADA TO-DAY

Buffet Springs, Alta.—The A. B. C. of Canadian tolerance are low tolerance and more economy, an amalgamation of the eastern, central and western viewpoints, and a Canadian policy that will lead to the best of its industries and the obliteration of all differences between the races and religious creeds of this country. This summarizes an interview here with Lieut.-Governor Harry Cockburn of Ontario, president of the Cockburn Flow Company, and a director of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

"The lesson of tolerance is one of the greatest things that Canada must learn," said the governor. "I present, we have, an eastern Canadian policy and a western Canadian policy, and, to some extent, a middle policy. Canada has a brilliant future before it which cannot be stopped, but which must be carefully guarded. It is not only a matter of tolerance and co-operation. We must learn to do so to others that they have a right to their own opinion. We must give and take until we have formulated a true Canadian policy."

Canada is suffering from growing pains as a result of over-education, he said. "The remedy is for its business seeking people to settle down to the practice of economy and thrift."

Governor Cockburn expressed the belief that continued efforts to attract only agricultural immigrants to western Canada would lead to the chronic seasonal unemployment which now exists in certain parts of south America. Industrial developments in western Canada is not only very profitable, but utterly desirable. If for other reasons than to make his holidays more enjoyable, the year, 1918, he said.

Alberta Rates Case

S. B. Woods, K.C., to Represent Province Before Railway Commission

Edmonton—S. B. Woods, K.C., of Edmonton, has been appointed by the Alberta government as provincial freight rates counsel, and will represent the province before the railway commission when it holds its investigation into the freight rates question. He will take the Alberta side of the case only, and will not be associated with any other argument before the commission.

Two objectives, in particular, will be before the commission with this case: the province's effort to get better rates, according to Premier Greenfield. These will be a through rate on coal and grain and a reduction in the basic rate on the Crown's steel tariff. The movement of coal will be emphasized as a matter of importance.

The province will be asked to establish a favorable rate that will be commercially possible.

MacMillan Party "All Well"

Washington—The steamers Bonanza and Peary, of the MacMillan Arctic expedition, left Seattle for Seattle, July 27, and proceeded north to Metville Bay, according to a radio message dated July 27, received by the National Geographic Society, via Seattle. The message said "all well."

Germany Paying Up

Bonn—Germany has paid almost \$1,000,000 to the United States, according to a treasury announcement in the House of Commons. Reparations payments in merchandise and cash, etc., (which has been paid to the United States) to the end of June, amounted to approximately \$800,000,000.

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THURSDAY, AUG. 6, 1925

Provincial Finances

In defending their financial policy, Mr. J. E. Brownlee and other members of the government invariably compare their administration with that of the previous government, judging it as charged as to extravagance by the opposition. But during the last term of the liberal government inflation was at its height and governments, banks and individual alike were guilty of indiscretions in the way of spending from which the country at large is still suffering, but since the present government has been in power there has been no inflation as to what was happening or was going to happen. Land and other real property has depreciated in value one half and chattels have almost ceased to have any value. Now, then, can the over-expenditure of the prior government have any bearing on the present situation, or be a criterion in any way of present expenditures. Even if the conditions were the same a group pledged to economy would scarcely have been expected to add to the public debt year after year. But when everything suggests the absolute necessity of decreasing taxation by some means it is not reassuring to have cabinet ministers insisting that their course is justified by that taken under entirely different circumstances by the present government. If the liberal government was extravagant, and judging by developments following their regime they undoubtedly were, must we continue to be extravagant for all time?

NOTES AND COMMENT.

—Great Britain is continuing her old policy of preparedness in reference to the navy in spite of numerous suggestions. The war lords are hard to control.

There are such conflicting reports of this year's crop that wheat prices continue unsettled with a tendency towards weakness. Crop estimates and reports now fit like their very feet are sure or less unreliable.

The United States is embarking upon an extensive campaign against smugglers of liquor, drugs and aliens. Motor cars are to patrol all boundaries and it is hoped with the assistance of present machinery to make success of the attempt.

Alberta coal began to arrive in Ontario last week and the balance of the \$2,000 ton is now on the way. Ontario may be a possible market for Alberta coal but there are opportunities much closer to home which have not been taken full advantage of in the past.

The 4.4 has been introduced in Ontario is said to be a failure as its consumption is falling off and bootlegging is more rampant than ever. The beer parlors here may have their faults but at least they practically eliminated bootlegging.

Now, George Headley now has a new plan whereby rural districts will be provided with a co-operative plan for securing dental and medical services where it is so desired. The travelling medical and dental clinic which was inaugurated by the department of health a year or so ago is said to have been very successful and to have provided the necessities to people in outlying districts at a cost

which was not prohibitive. Under the new plan the Co-operative system may be adopted by any district which chooses to do so.

Five districts in Alberta which have voted an local option have carried the proposition while in three others it has been defeated. Residents in the local option districts may still purchase liquor and beer under permit, the beer rooms being the only thing affected.

More than twenty prisons, more than a third of the total, have been closed in England, while the same institutions in the United States are full to overflowing. It might be well for those who are urging unrestricted immigration into Canada to consider whether it would not be better to be more careful in this respect.

It is wonderful what can be done as "Indecent" when things go wrong are under consideration. The Western News, a recently established weekly at Edmonton, has no party affiliations but is, of course, a thing is possible more particularly than the C. F. A., which is nothing else but a newspaper. A newspaper, like the individual, is entitled to the opinion, close is something wrong when it attempts to deny its allegiance.

Government Crop Report

Facing the disappointing prospect of harvesting a greatly reduced crop from that at first anticipated, as a result of the ravaging effects of wind and great heat, farmers of Southern Alberta are commencing the cutting of their wheat the present week. Cutting operations all over the southern part of the province will be general within the next week, and in the nature of the province about August 15, which will be from ten days to two weeks earlier than last year. Limited quantities of grain already threshed out have no indications of the past three weeks that yield will be light over large areas in the south. Some samples seen have shown unusual shrinkage in stock.

The southeast district will experience the lightest yields. The most central districts as far north as the northern line of the Canadian National railway at Vermilion, is very patchy. Points along the Grosse Lake line report very favorable conditions, and expect a good crop. Other sections of the east-central territory report only fair to average conditions. In the south-western district, fairly good crops are anticipated much heavier in many parts than last year, but still suffering decreased yield as a result of drought. As an example of the damage done even to the level

districts by the drought, the statement is quoted from a farmer in the Sturgeon district, who states that the effect of the drought was a loss of ten bushels an acre, with the result that one acre bushel crop they anticipated in his district would be cut to thirty. He states that to deliver along the road the crops look well but a close inspection reveals the damage from blains which come now are too late to help the fast opening crops.

As the west central districts north to Edmonton and immediate vicinity, the crops were also suffered some what from drought conditions, but the recent rains have been of considerable benefit. In the Peace River country, particularly south of the river, the situation has been much improved by the recent rains there.

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Miss Potter, of Medicine Hat, who has been visiting at J. O. Reid's, left for home this week.

J. W. Corson spent the weekend in Champion, returning to Calgary on Monday morning.

Mrs. B. Hummel returned on Sunday from Stavelly where she had been on a visit to her parents.

Miss Gallington, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff is spending her holidays at Kitscoty.

In reporting grade XI examination results in last week's issue the term XII was inadvertently used.

J. O. Reid shipped two carloads of cattle to Calgary on Monday and Alfred Carlson a carload. Mr. Reid is shipping again next week.

The payment of 20 cents per bushel made by the wheat pool last week was an interim payment, not the final payment as stated. The final payment will be made shortly.

By an unfortunate error a lot of silk hose, as certified by Campbell's store, was described as being reduced from regular values of \$1.00 to \$1.25 to \$1.35 per pair. The latter price should have been 65c per pair and we hasten to apologize to any lady who is wearing anything else but silk hose when they are available at such a price.

Alberta's Freight Rate Case.

The province of Alberta will present a united front to the Railway Commission on the question of freight rates when that body commences its general investigation into the question.

At a conference held in Edmonton last Wednesday at the instance of the Alberta Government, at which representatives of the Boards of Trade of Edmonton and Calgary and of other interests were present, the following general points were decided upon for presentation to the Commission. Alberta's counsel in the enquiry will be S. B. Woods, K. C.

(1) That the standard of mileage freight tariff scale should be as far as possible be on the same basis all over Canada.

(2) That the distributing town tariffs should continue as at present, namely, 85 per cent of the standard mileage basis in the West.

(3) That the charge for any commodity to Calgary and Edmonton

from Eastern Canada should not be greater than that charged from the same points to Vancouver.

(4) That the basis of export rates on grain and flour applicable to Fort William should apply to the Pacific coast.

(5) Reduction in coal rates to develop markets east and west.

(6) Adjustment of export rates via both seaboards in order to develop further markets for the primary products of Alberta and for necessary reductions in import rates to meet the requirements of the Province.

(7) Adjustment of class rates on the shorter C. N. R. mileage.

(8) Adjustment of rates as between distributing centres.

The matter of details in regard to equalization of rates generally and the securing of commodity rates suitable to the needs was left in the hands of a small committee consisting of the Chairman, Mr. J. H. Hanna, Secretary Calgary Board of Trade; A. A. Chard, Supervisor of Traffic for the Alberta Government, and Mr. S. B. Woods, Counsel for the province of Alberta.

A thorough discussion of the many points at issue took place and an amicable solution reached by the conference in all cases. All interested expressed themselves as well pleased with the results of the meeting.

Ten Binder Infos.

According to farm machinery experts at the Nebraska Agricultural College, a careful observation of the following list will secure better operation and less trouble:

1. If the machine travels with a jerky motion, main drive chain is too loose or it may be dry, try a little oil on it.
2. If the slats rip off the curves the elevators are not square.
3. If the knitter-hook is rusty and rough it will not work properly. Polish it with a fine emery paper.
4. If the binder attachment is not timed properly it certainly will not work. Some binders are timed in as many as five places.
5. If the knitter-hook does not turn far enough to close the fingers on the twine, no knot will be tied. Look at the knitter plunger. It should not be worn.
6. If the twine slips through the cord-holder spring. It should take 89 pounds to pull the twine from theidler.
7. If the disc does not move far enough the knitter-hook will grasp only one cord, hence a loose end band.
8. If the needle is bent or out of shape there will be a loose end band. The needle is malleable iron and may be hammered back to shape.
9. If the twine is pulled from the hook before the knot tied try the knife. It may be dull.
10. If you wish to change the size of bundles do it with the bundle-size spring, not the tension or compress spring.

Sheltering Pigs From the Sun

(Experimental Farm Note.)

Growing pigs, especially white ones, are very subject to sunscald if allowed to run in grass or rape without shade. A very effective shade has been provided at the Experimental Station at Resthaven in the following manner. In the spring of 1917, caragana seed was sown in twelve rows, four feet apart, across the rear of the pig pastures, and fenced to keep all stock out. The ground was kept carefully hoed till 1920 when further work could not be carried on because of the thick root system and the branches, which by this time shaded the ground sufficiently to another weed growth. In 1919 the plants were thinned to one foot apart and the thinnings sold to a nursery at 1 cent each, which netted \$125. In 1922 the fence was removed, and the pigs allowed to use the shelter. It is in use now for the third season, and affords a very efficient and artistic shelter. Cattle, sheep and horses must be kept away from caragana because they seem to relish it as much as grass. Mature hogs will also eat it if pasture is not available.

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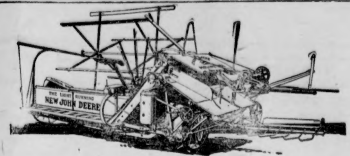
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See F. J. Clapp's window on Saturday night if you want bargains in men's and boy's rubber-soled shoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mack have rented the Galloway residence for the holidays and will reside there until the opening of school at Medicine Hat.

Cuba's sugar crop this year has broken all records, with a total output of 5,000,000 tons, for which it is estimated the planters received \$123,375,000.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Honor and family returned from their holidays, spent at Spokane and other coast points. They were accompanied by Mrs. H. Chamberlain.

There was a large attendance at the Carnagay fair and the exhibits were fully up to the standard of previous years. The early harvest prevented many from attending.

H. F. Nelson is expected home on Thursday night from Minneapolis. He was fortunate in arriving there before the death of his mother, which occurred on Thursday, July 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crane and family are spending the harvest season on the farm.

Leane Church is again at the Jopling farm after an absence of a few months.

R. M. Callison, of Seattle, who has been visiting his daughter Mrs. J. F. Halstid, returned home on Saturday.

Following the usual custom for harvesting and threshing time there will be no holiday on Wednesday afternoon for the present.

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all of whom had ridden many miles of mountain trails since their arrival in the Canadian Rockies, were also included as charter members of the new organization, which is under the presidency of Major Fred Brewster, M.C., and is at Jasper Park Lodge.—C.N.B. Photos.

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Rev. J. Lee announces the following services for Sunday next, August 9:
11 a.m.—Sunday School,
3 p.m.—Service at Fireguard School
7.30 p.m.—Service at Champion.
Mr. Lee will conduct all services.
You will be welcome at any or all of these services.